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WASHINGTON--ABBA P. SCHWARTZ, CONTROVERSIAL FORMER STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL, TOLD SENATE INVESTIGATORS ON AUG. 13 [redacted], THAT HE WAS ORDERED NOT TO DISCUSS CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY (CIA) ACTIVITIES IN FURTHER SESSIONS OF THE SENATE INTERNAL SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE, IT WAS DISCLOSED TODAY.

SCHWARTZ ALSO TOLD THE SUBCOMMITTEE AT A CLOSED DOOR SESSION THAT HE CHARGED ROBERT JOHNSON, COUNSEL OF THE PASSPORT OFFICE, WITH "POOR JUDGMENT AND INSUBORDINATION" FOR GOING TO MIAMI ON A CIA MISSION WITHOUT NOTIFYING SCHWARTZ.

THE DISCLOSURES WERE IN THE THIRD VOLUME OF TESTIMONY TAKEN AT TIMES OVER THE 1963-65 PERIOD AND MADE PUBLIC TODAY. MUCH OF IT DEALT WITH SCHWARTZ' RUNNING FEUD WITH FRANCES G. KNIGHT, HEAD OF THE PASSPORT OFFICE.

SCHWARTZ RESIGNED RECENTLY WHEN HE LEARNED THAT HIS POST AS HEAD OF THE BUREAU OF SECURITY AND CONSULAR AFFAIRS, IN WHICH HE WAS OVER MISS KNIGHT, WAS TO BE ABOLISHED IN A DEPARTMENTAL REORGANIZATION. HE HAD HELD THE JOB SINCE 1962.

SCHWARTZ SAID HIS INSTRUCTIONS NOT TO FURTHER DISCUSS ANY CIA ACTIVITIES WITH THE SUBCOMMITTEE CAME IN A DEC. 9, 1963, MEMORANDUM FROM SECRETARY OF STATE DEAN RUSK, AFTER HE HAD REPORTED TO RUSK THAT THE INTERNAL SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE HAD QUESTIONED HIM ABOUT CERTAIN ACTIVITIES OF THE HUSH-HUSH CIA.

JOHNSON HAD DISCUSSED THE CRITICISM FROM SCHWARTZ IN AN APRIL 18, 1963, HEARING. HE SAID HE DID NOT CONSIDER IT "HARASSMENT" BUT "CERTAIN ACTIONS THAT I DID WERE CONSIDERED INSUBORDINATION."

DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE WILLIAM J. CROCKETT CONFIRMED THE SCHWARTZ CHARGES AGAINST JOHNSON IN A MAY 4, 1965, CLOSED HEARING. UNDER QUESTIONING BY SUBCOMMITTEE COUNSEL J.G. SOURWINE, CROCKETT ADMITTED THAT SCHWARTZ WAS BRIEFED ABOUT JOHNSON'S ASSIGNMENT SEVERAL HOURS BEFORE THE PASSPORT OFFICIAL MADE THE TRIP BUT CHARGED THE LATTER WITH INSUBORDINATION ONLY SIX HOURS LATER.

CROCKETT ALSO SAID THAT 17 MONTHS LATER SCHWARTZ PUT A MEMORANDUM CONTAINING THE "POOR JUDGEMENT AND INSUBORDINATION" CHARGES IN JOHNSON'S PERSONNEL FOLDER. ASKED IF HE THOUGHT THIS WERE "FAIR OR REASONABLE TREATMENT," CROCKETT SAID:

"NO, SIR."

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